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FOR AMBASSADOR DAVIS

E.O. 11652: GDS

AGS: PFOR, SZ

SUBJECT: US-SWISS BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS

REF: (A) BERN 4644; (B) STATE 248119

1. YOU SHOULD INFORM WEITNAUER, REFERRING TO YOUR OCTOBER 7 CONVERSATION WITH HIM, THAT DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS WOULD WELCOME THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXCHANGE THOUGHTS WITH HIM ON A FAIRLY REGULAR BASIS. YOU SHOULD TELL WEITNAUER THAT THE DEPARTMENT IS PLEASED THAT HE PLANS TO VISIT THE US IN SEPTEMBER 1977 AND LOOKS FORWARD TO AN INTERESTING ROUND OF DISCUSSIONS WITH HIM AT THAT TIME.

2. YOU SHOULD ALSO NOTE THAT WHILE THERE ARE NO CURRENT PLANS FOR SENIOR DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS TO VISIT SWITZERLAND IN THE NEAR FUTURE, WE APPRECIATE HIS SUGGESTION FOR A BERN VISIT AND WILL LET HIM KNOW WHEN IT APPEARS FEASIBLE.

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